

In re Application of Nicolas Bara
 Serial No.: 10/585,913
 Filed: November 30, 2006
 For: APPARATUS FOR SECURING TUBES

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Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

A response to the outstanding official action in the above-identified application is enclosed, along with a Request for Continued Examination and one (1) new Replacement Sheet of drawings with deletion in Fig. 2.

- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
- ☒ This is a Petition for an Extension of Time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render this submission timely.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

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- ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2719.
- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,



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